UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Service Agency Washington, DC 20250 **Notice LP-1704**

For: State and County Offices

Determining Eligibility of Grain Sorghum Varieties

Approved by: Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



1 Overview

A Purpose

To simplify and clarify the current eligible categories of grain sorghum, the following categories will be used to determine eligibility of grain sorghum for 1999 and subsequent crop years:

- Category I. Non-Tannin Sorghum for grain or silage/hay is eligible regardless of parentage or grain yield.
- Category II. Tannin Sorghum for grain or silage/hay is eligible regardless of parentage or grain yield, but if harvested for grain must be identity-preserved and reported.
- Category III. Tannin Sorghum used for pasture is not eligible for LDP's or any programs.

Disposal Date	Distribution
October 1, 2000	State Offices; State Offices relay to County Offices

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2 Action

A State Office Action

State Office shall:

- immediately publicize the content of this notice to the maximum extent possible
- instruct County Offices to immediately notify producers of the contents of this notice using all available sources.

B County Office Review

County Offices shall review Exhibit 1 which lists those varieties which are ineligible for **any** program benefits.

C Effective Date

These changes shall be effective for the 1999 crop year.

For producers who were not afforded these opportunities because they harvested an ineligible commodity and sold or fed their production before these policy changes were made, County Offices shall:

- allow producers to request an LDP using CCC-666 LDP
- for fed production, allow producers to certify to date of harvest and quantity
- for sold production, obtain date of delivery and quantity from production evidence
- use the LDP rate in effect on the date of delivery or harvest
- obtain COC approval of all quantities and harvest dates
- calculate LDP using the effective LDP rate for the applicable quantities.

D Yield Determination

County Offices shall follow 8-LP, paragraph 536 on setting the yields for eligible varieties of grain sorghum. Actual production determinations should fairly reflect what a producer's anticipated yield would have been had that actual crop been harvested as grain.

E Obsolete Notice

Notice LP-1703 is obsolete.

Ineligible Grain Sorghum Classification Guide

Some varieties may be eligible in some States. Those varieties are indicated with the applicable State in parentheses.

Company	Variety	Company	Variety
Agri Bio Tech, Inc.	Greengrazer V	Coop Seed, Inc.	SSF-550S Hi Pro Hi-Pro II
Agripro Seed Inc.	Graze-N-Bale + (TX) Graze-N-Bale S Tastemaker III SS100	Cargill Hybrid Seeds	SWEET SIOUX V SSB 311 HS33 HS35 MOR-CANE II FB 211
W.H. Anton Seed Company	Cattle Developer (M) Mastergraze II Mastergrazer DR (M) Su-Sweetie (M) Su-Sweetie DR (M)	Crosbyton Seed Company	GRAZE-N-GAIN GRAZE-N-GAIN (TA) GW9110G GRAZE-N-GAIN ST
AR-B Seeds, Inc.	AR-B Sweet II	DeKalb Genetics Corp.	ST6 ST6E SX8 SX5 SX17 SX121
Asgrow Seed Company	Grazer N-1 TITAM MS	Delta and Pine Company	G-83F FP-5 FP-4
AVA Seeds	AVA7050 AVA7060 AVA7070	Garst Seed Company	757
Browning Seed Inc.	Hayzer-A Cadan 99B-A Wondergreen SX66 Tridan Pasture T Reed Uron Farmers Favor	Giant Seed Company	RAZIN GRAZIN RAZIN HAY
Casterline & Son Seeds, Inc.	Sweeter Su Sweeter Su II SUCANE	Golden Harvest	RE-GRO H-22B

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Johnson Genetics	HIDAN 36 MILLEX 32 SARDAN 79 TRUDAN 8 TRUDAN 10	Hoegemeyer Hybrids, Inc.	650S Bale-ALL Sugar Dan
Douglas King Co.	Hay Day King 61 DR King's 28	Mycogen Seeds	CHIEF CHIEF A E.P5 T-E GREENCHOPPER T-E HAYGRAZER T-E HAYGRAZER-T T-E-HAYGRAZER II T-E HAYGRAZER S
Frontier Hybrids	CHAMP II CHAMP I CHAMP	Novartis Seeds Inc.	Sordan 79 Trudan 8 & 10 HiDan 36 1990 Sucosorgo 405
Fontanelle Hybrids	F-290S	Pioneer III	877F 855F
Garrison & Townsend Inc.	SUGAR DAN GRAZE ALL BALE-ALL II BMR-201	G.E. Pogue Seed Co. Inc.	Sweet Graze II
Greenbush Seed & Supply, Inc.	Sweeter 'N Honey Sweet Ann	Production Plus	Special Effort Sweet Sunny Sue Dairymen's Dream Hi-n-Dri Go-Man-Go Nutri + Plus BMR Ster-M-Up

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Richard Seeds, Inc.	R77F Sugar Supreme Sugar SU II Tri Sweet Sorghum Sundangrass Sweeter-n-Honey Hayman Honey Pasture Honey Graze Honey Graze IV	Triumph Seed Company Inc.	SS10 Super Sweet 10 Sooner Sweet SuperSweet ST15
J. C. Robinson Seed Company	RE-GRO H-22B	Western Hertage Seed Co.	Bonanza Cowhand Three Cattle Drive El Tejano Growin Green III Range Rider
Seed Resourse, Inc.	Cattle Grazer Cattle Grazer II Dine a Nite DoMor Forage King Green Grazer V Green Pasture II Scotchman Sugar Beef Sugar Beef III Super Su 22 Xtra Sweet SS	George Warner Seed Co.	Sucrosse Circle W Sooper Su GTW-1 W-8493 Sucrosse GTR-1 PTR-1 Gro-N-graze